

Docket No.: 60188-735

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Takefumi YOSHIKAWA : Confirmation Number: 6967
Application No.: 10/759,135 : Group Art Unit: 2816
Filed: January 20, 2004 : Examiner: Mihn T. Nguyen

For: DRIVER CIRCUIT FOR DIFFERENTIALLY OUTPUTTING DATA FROM INTERNAL CIRCUITRY OF AN LSI TO OUTSIDE THE LSI (AS AMENDED)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
☐ Also attached:

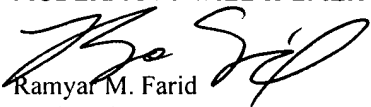
The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | NO. OF CLAIMS | HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE | FEE |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------|--------|
| Total Claims | 4 | 20 | 0 | \$18.00 = | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | 3 | 0 | \$86.00 = | \$0.00 |
| Multiple claims newly presented | | | | | \$0.00 |
| Fee for extension of time | | | | | \$0.00 |
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| Total of Above Calculations | | | | | \$0.00 |

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 29, 2004, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.

No.: 10/759,135

IN THE TITLE

Please replace the existing title with the following new title:

“DRIVER CIRCUIT FOR DIFFERENTIALLY OUTPUTTING DATA FROM INTERNAL
CIRCUITRY OF AN LSI TO OUTSIDE THE LSI”